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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

No. C09-3658 CRB (BZ)

SUTTER WEST CAPITAL MORTGAGE,) INC., et al.

ANTONIO HERNANDEZ,

v.

Defendant(s).

SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE ORDER

Counsel for plaintiff has been making informal requests of my secretary to continue the settlement conference, in violation of the Local Rules and my Order. See Local Rule 7-11. To the extent that plaintiff is asking for a short continuance of the settlement conference, the request is **DENIED** for two reasons. First, plaintiff's claim that he has a unspecified personal matter to attend to is not an adequate grounds for continuing a conference that has been scheduled for a long time. Secondly, I do not have the ability to grant a short continuance. My next available settlement conference dates are in February and Judge

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Breyer's Order requires that this conference be completed by January 7, 2010. Consequently any request for a continuance will have to be addressed to Judge Breyer. To the extent that plaintiff is seeking to be excused from personally attending this settlement conference, that request is DENIED. Dated: October 28, 2010 United States Magistrate Judge